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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) MP0296																										
Application Number 10/679,030		Filed October 2, 2003																										
For IMPROVED ARCHITECTURE FOR A DATA STORAGE DEVICE																												
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): <table><thead><tr><th></th><th>Fee</th><th>Small Entity Fee</th><th></th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td><td>\$120</td><td>\$60</td><td>\$120.00</td></tr><tr><td>☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td><td>\$450</td><td>\$225</td><td>\$_____</td></tr><tr><td>☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td><td>\$1020</td><td>\$510</td><td>\$_____</td></tr><tr><td>☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td><td>\$1590</td><td>\$795</td><td>\$_____</td></tr><tr><td>☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td><td>\$2160</td><td>\$1080</td><td>\$_____</td></tr></tbody></table> ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27; 04/27/2006 CNGUYEN2 00000033 10679030 ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. 01 FC:1251 120.00 00 ☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 08-0750. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. I am the ☐ applicant/inventor. ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71 Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). ☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 34,754 ☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). _____ <table><tr><td> _____ Signature Michael D. Wiggins _____ Typed or printed name</td><td>_____ April 25, 2006 _____ Date (248) 641-1600 _____ Telephone Number</td></tr></table> NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. ☐ Total of _____ forms are submitted.				Fee	Small Entity Fee		☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	\$120.00	☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	\$_____	☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	\$_____	☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	\$_____	☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080	\$_____	 _____ Signature Michael D. Wiggins _____ Typed or printed name	_____ April 25, 2006 _____ Date (248) 641-1600 _____ Telephone Number
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